WCH-LinkUserManual

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1 WCH-Link

1.1 Module Introduction

WCH-Link module can be used for online debugging and downloading of WCH RISC-V MCU, and also for online debugging and downloading of ARM MCU with SWD/JTAG interface. It also comes with a serial port for easy debugging output. There are currently 3 WCH-Links including WCH-LinkE, WCH-DAPLink, and WCH-LinkW, and WCH-LinkE is recommended.

Figure 1 WCH-Link physical diagram

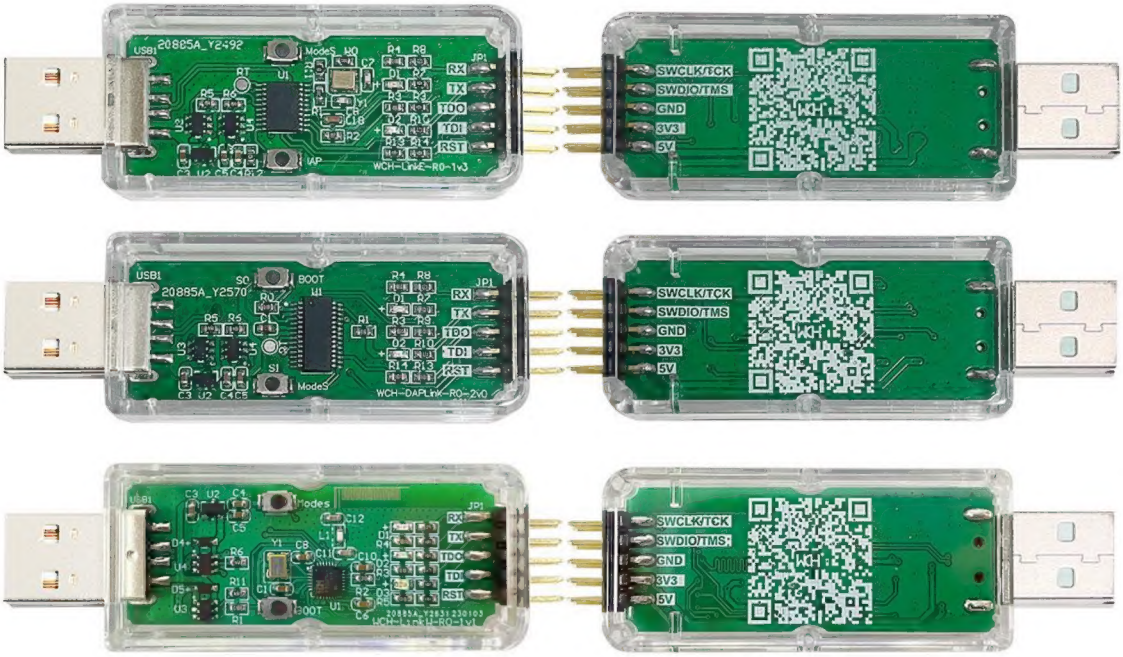


Figure 2 WCH-Link mode

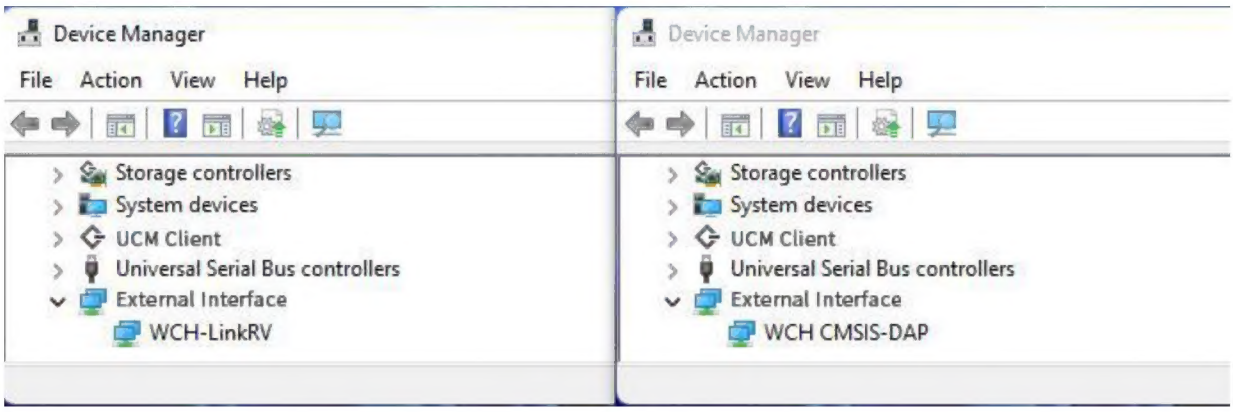


Table 1 WCH-Link mode

Mode	Status LED	IDE	Support chip
RISC-V	Blue LED is always	MounRiver Studio	WCH RISC-V core chips that support single/dual

	off when idle		line debugging
ARM	Blue LED is always on when idle	Keil/MounRiver Studio	ARM core chips that support SWD/JTAG protocol

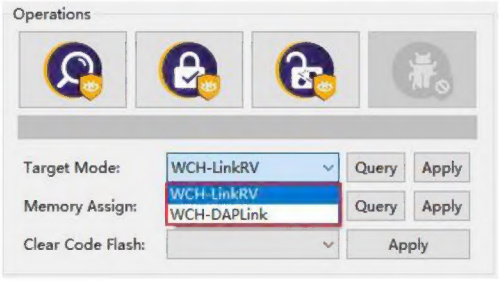
1.2 Mode Switching

Way 1: Use MounRiver Studio software to switch Link mode. (This method is applicable to WCH-Link, WCH-LinkE and WCH-LinkW)

① Click arrow in the shortcut toolbar to bring up the project download configuration window

② Click Query on the right side of Target Mode to view the current Link mode

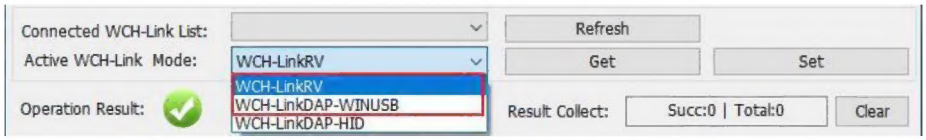
③ Click Target Mode option box, select the target Link mode, click Apply



Way 2: Use WCH-LinkUtility tool to switch Link mode.

① Click Get on the right side of Active WCH-Link mode to view the current Link mode

② Click Active WCH-Link mode option box, select the target Link mode, click Set



Way 3: Use ModeS key to switch Link mode. (This method is applicable to WCH-LinkE-R0-1v2, WCH-DAPLink-R0-2v0 and WCH-LinkW-R0-1v1 and above)

① Press and hold the ModeS key to power up the Link

Notes:

(1) The blue LED flashes when downloading and debugging.

(2) The Link maintains the switched mode for subsequent use.

(3) WCH-Link simulation debugger module URL: https://www.wch-ic.com/products/WCH-Link.html

(4) MounRiver Studio Access URL: http://mounriver.com/

(5) WCH-LinkUtility Access URL: https://www.wch.cn/downloads/WCH-LinkUtility_ZIP.html

(6) WCHISPTool Access URL: https://www.wch.cn/downloads/WCHISPTool_Setup_exe.html

(7) *WCH-Link, WCH-LinkE and* WCH-LinkW *support LinkRV and LinkDAP-WINUSB mode switching; WCH-DAPLink supports LinkDAP-WINUSB and LinKDAP-HID mode switching.*

1.3 Serial Port Baud Rate

Table 2 WCH-Link serial port supports baud rate

1200	2400	4800	9600	14400
19200	38400	57600	115200	230400

Table 3 WCH-LinkE/DAPLink/LinkW serial port supports baud rate

1200	2400	4800	9600	14400	19200
38400	57600	115200	230400	460800	921600

Notes:

(1) Figure 1 in the row of pins RX and TX for the serial port transceiver pins, serial port support baud rate is shown in the table above.

(2) CDC driver needs to be installed under Win7.

(3) If you re-unplug Link, please re-open the serial debugging assistant.

1.4 Function Comparison

Table 4 Link functions and performance comparison table

Function items	WCH-Link-R1-1v1	WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3	WCH-DAPLink-R0-2v0	WCH-LinkW-R0-1v1
RISC-V mode	√	√	×	√
ARM-SWD mode-HID device	×	×	√	×
ARM-SWD mode-WINUSB device	√	√	√	√
ARM-JTAG mode -HID device	×	×	√	×
ARM-JTAG mode -WINUSB device	×	√	√	√
ModeS key to switch mode	×	√	√	√
2-wire way upgrade firmware offline	×	√	×	×
Serial port upgrade firmware offline	√	×	×	×
USB upgrade firmware offline	√	×	√	√
Controllable 3.3V/5V power output	×	√	√	√
High-speed USB2.0 to JTAG interface	×	√	×	×
Wireless mode	×	×	×	√
Download tools	MounRiver Studio WCH-LinkUtility Keil uVision5	MounRiver Studio WCH-LinkUtility Keil uVision5	WCH-LinkUtility Keil uVision5	MounRiver Studio WCH-LinkUtility Keil uVision5
Keil supported versions	Keil V5.25 and above	Keil V5.25 and above	Supported in all versions of Keil	Keil V5.25 and above

2 Pin Connections

Table 5 Link supported chip model

Common chip models	WCH-Link	WCH-LinkE	WCH-DAPLink	WCH-LinkW
CH643/CH32X035_X034_X033/CH32L103/CH32V003/CH32V002_004_005_006_007/CH32V317/CH32M007	×	√	×	√
CH32V10x/CH32V20x/CH32V30x	√	√	×	√
CH569/CH573/CH583	√	√	×	×
CH59x/CH641/CH645/CH564/CH584_585_581/CH32M030/CH570_CH572/CH32H417/CH32V205	×	√	×	×
CH32F10x/CH32F20x/CH579/friendly chips that support SWD interface	√	√	√	√
friendly chips that support JTAG interface	×	√	√	√

Table 6 Common chip pin connections

Common chip models	SWDIO	SWCLK
CH569	PA11	PA10
CH579	PB16	PB17
CH573/CH583/CH59x/CH584_585_581	PB14	PB15
CH643/CH32X035_X034_X033	PC18	PC19
CH32V003	PD1	-
CH641	PB0	-
CH645/CH570_CH572	PA0	PA1
CH32V10x/CH32V20x/CH32V30x/CH32F10x/CH32F20x/CH32L103/ CH32V317/CH32V205	PA13	PA14
CH564	PB10	PB11
CH32V002_004_005_006_007/CH32M007	PD1	PB3
CH32M030	PA3	PA2
CH32H417_415	PB9	PB8

Note:

(1) Among them, CH564, CH32M030, CH584_585_581, CH570_572, CH32V205, CH32H417_415 CH32V002_004_005_006_007 and CH32M007 support both 1-wire (SWDIO) and 2-wire (SWDIO-SWCLK) debug interfaces.

(2) WCH-Link-R1-1v1 has been discontinued and is still officially maintained, but no new features are added.

Table 7 STM32F10xxx JTAG interface pinout

JTAG interface pin name	JTAG debug interface	Pinout
TMS	JTAG mode selection	PA13
TCK	JTAG clock	PA14
TDI	JTAG data input	PA15
TDO	JTAG data output	PB3

Notes:

(1) Link maximum supported line length: 30cm, if the download process is unstable, try to turn down the download speed.

(2) JTAG mode, WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3, WCH-DAPLink-R0-2v0 hardware version began to support, the previous hardware version does not support.

(3) WCH-LinkE high-speed version is only for CH32F20x/CH32V20x/CH32V30x to speed up.

(4) CH569、CH579、CH573、CH583、CH59x、CH584_585_581, if you want to use Link for downloading or debugging, you need to use the official ISP tool to open the 2-wire debug interface, and you need to pay attention to Link mode when using it. The steps are as follows:

- *Open WCHISPStudio tool, the chip to be tested enters BOOT mode*
  -CH569 needs to short HD0 and GND to power on through U-port;
  -CH573/CH583/CH59x/ CH584_585_581 need to press and hold the Download button to power on through the U-port;
- *WCHISPStudio tool will automatically pop up the adaptation window, click to open the two-wire debug interface*

3 Keil Download and Debug

3.1 Device Switching

WCH-DAPLink supports two modes, ARM mode-WINUSB device and ARM mode-HID device, and you can switch between the two device modes with the WCH-LinkUtility tool (or by powering up the Link after long pressing the ModeS key.) WCH-Link, WCH-LinkE and WCH-LinkW only support ARM mode-WINUSB device mode.

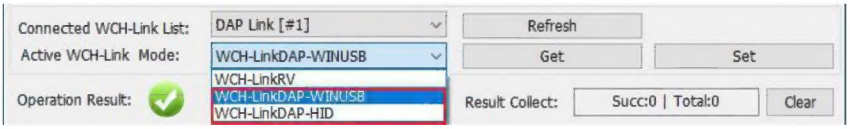


Table 8 WCH-DAPLink device

Device	Support Link	Keil supported versions
ARM mode-WINUSB device	WCH-Link WCH-LinkE WCH-DAPLink WCH-LinkW	Keil V5.25 and above ARM-CMSIS V5.3.0 and above
ARM mode-HID device	WCH-DAPLink	Supported in all versions of Keil

Note:

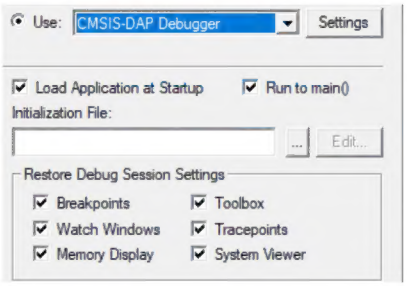
(1) WCH-Link, WCH-LinkE, WCH-DAPLink and WCH-LinkW *are factory defaulted to WINUSB device mode.*

(2) WCH-DAPLink-R0-1v0 switches between two device modes by long pressing the IAP key to power up.

(3) WCH-LinkUtility tool on will occupy the Link device and cause Keil software can not recognize the Link.

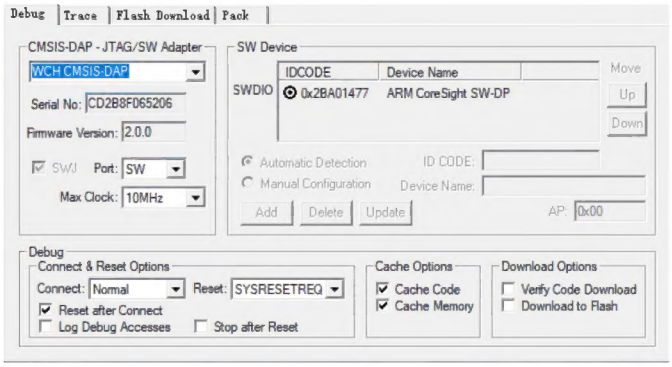
3.2 Download Configuration

① Click the magic wand in the toolbar to bring up the Options for Target dialog box, click Debug and select the emulator model



② Click the Use option box and select CMSIS-DAP Debugger

③ Click the Settings button to bring up the Cortex-M Target Driver Setup dialog box



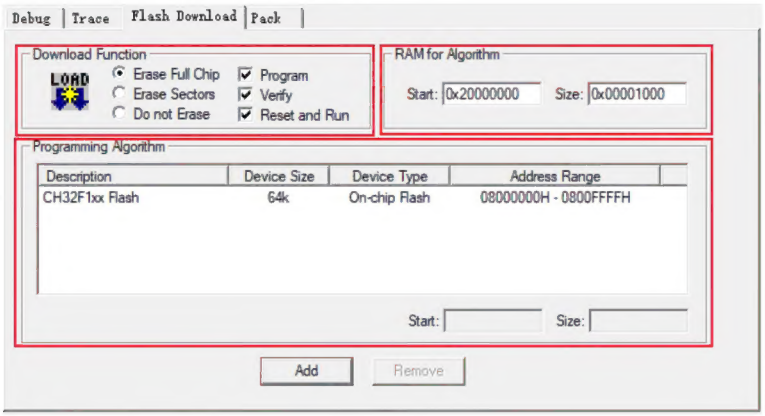
Serial No: Display the identifier of the debug adapter being used. When multiple adapters are connected, you can specify the adapter by using the drop-down list.

SW Device: Show the device ID and name of the connected device.

Port: Set the internal debug interface SW or JTAG. (Both interfaces are supported by WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3, WCH-DAPLink-R0-2v0 and WCH-LinkW-R0-1v1)

Max Clock: Set the clock rate to communicate with the target device.

④ Click Flash Download for download configuration



Download Function: Configuration options

RAM for Algorithm: Configure the starting address and size of RAM space

Our CH32F103 series chip RAM space size is 0x1000, CH32F20x series chip RAM space size is 0x2800.

Programming Algorithm: Add algorithm file

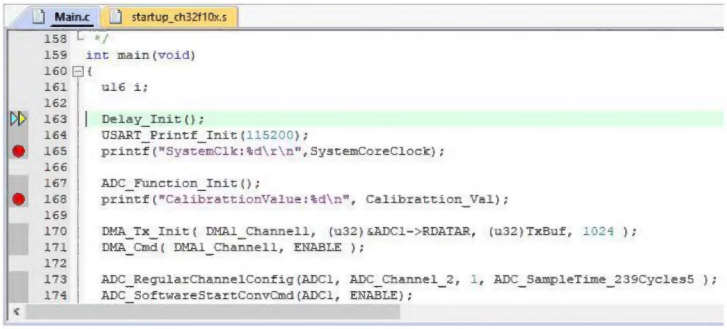
The algorithm file has been added automatically after installing the chip device package, click OK.

⑤ After completing the above configuration, click OK to close the dialog box. Click the icon in the toolbar to burn in the code.

3.3 Debug

① Click the Debug button in the toolbar to enter the debug page

② Set breakpoints



③ Basic debug commands

Reset: Perform a reset operation on the program.

Run: Cause the current program to start running at full speed until the program stops when it encounters a breakpoint.

Step: Execute a single statement and if a function is encountered, it will go inside the function.

Step Over: Execute a single statement that does not go inside the function if it encounters a function, but runs the function at full speed and jumps to the next statement.

Step Out: Run all the contents after the current function at full-speed until the function returns to the previous level.

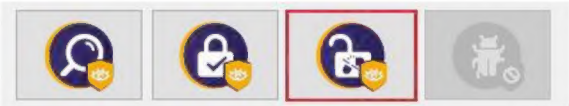
④ Click the Debug button in the toolbar again to exit debug.

4 MounRiver Studio Download and Debug

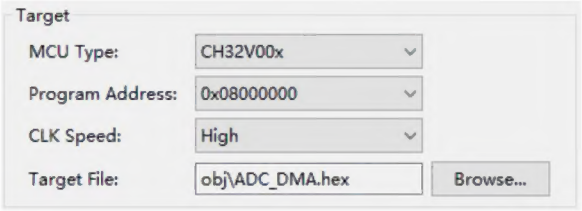
4.1 Download Configuration

① Click the arrow in the toolbar to bring up the project download configuration window

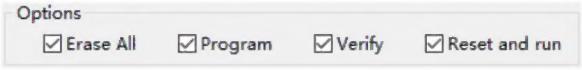
② Click the Disable Read-Protect button to disable the chip read protection



③ Target configuration, the main elements are as follows.



④ Configuration Options



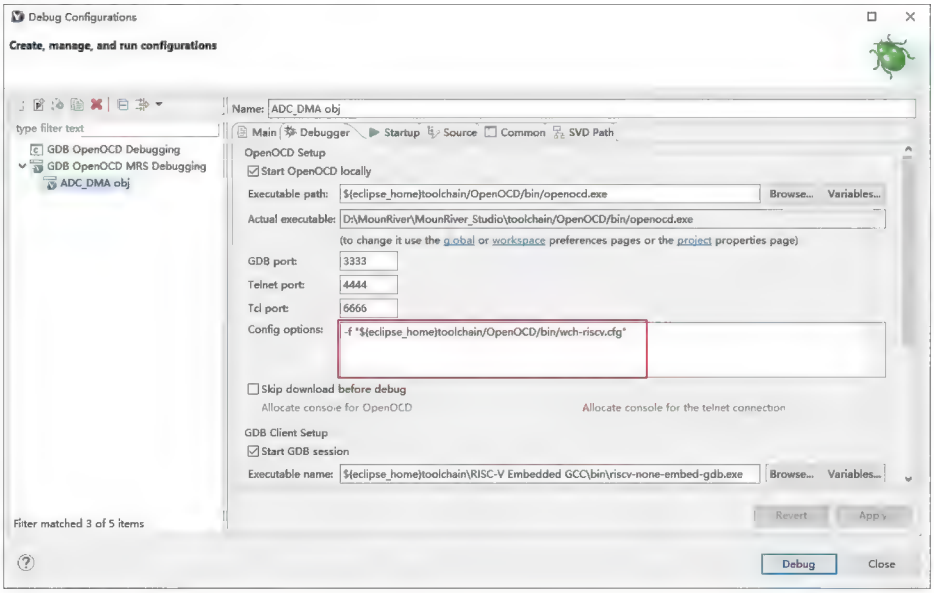
⑤ Click Apply and Close to save the download configuration. Click on the icon in the toolbar to burn the code, and the result will be displayed in the Console.

4.2 Debug

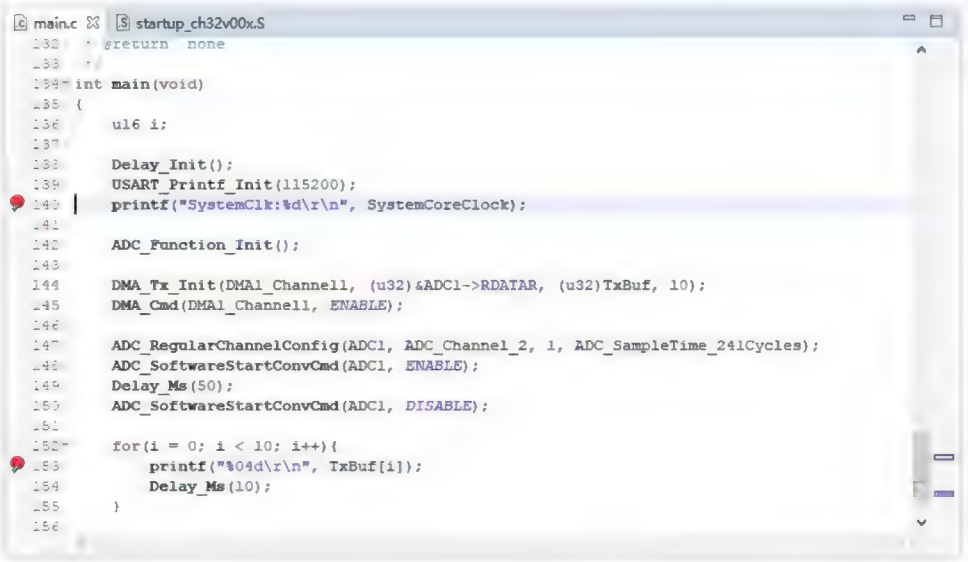
① Enter the debugging page

Way 1: Click the Debug button in the toolbar to enter the debug page directly.

Way 2: Click the arrow in the toolbar and select Debug Configurations to pop up the debug configuration page. Double-click GDB OpenOCD MRS Debugging to generate the obj file, select the obj file and click the Debug button at the bottom right corner to enter the debugging page.



② Set breakpoints



③ Basic debug commands

Reset: Perform a reset operation on the program.

Run: Make the current program start running at full speed until the program stops when it meets a breakpoint.

Terminate: Exit debugging.

Step Into: Execute a single statement, and if a function is encountered, it will go inside the function.

Step Over: Execute a single statement, and if it encounters a function, it will not go inside the function, but run the function at full speed and skip to the next statement.

Step Return: Run all contents after the current function at full speed until the function returns to the previous level.

④ Click button, exit the debug.

4.3 Other Functions

4.3.1 Set Chip Read-Protect

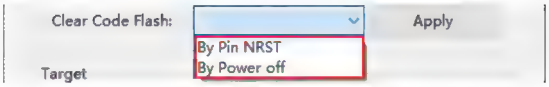
Query chip read-protect status

Enable chip read-protect status

Disable chip read-protect status

4.3.2 Code Flash Full Erase

MounRiver Studio can erase all the user areas of the chip by controlling the hardware reset pin or by re-powering the chip. To control erase by re-powering, Link is required to power the chip; to control erase by hardware reset pin, the reset pins of the chip and Link need to be connected. (Supported by WCH-LinkE, WCH-DAPLink and WCH-LinkW only)



4.3.3 Disable 2-wire SDI

For partial chips, code and data protection can be enabled by disabling the 2-wire SDI.

Disable the 2-wire SDI

4.3.4 Chip Memory Allocation

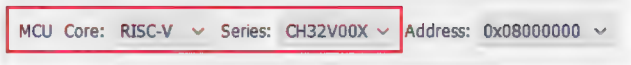
For high-capacity general-purpose (connected/interconnected/wireless) chips, memory allocation is available through MounRiver Studio; please refer to the User Selection Word section of the CH32FV2x_V3xRM manual for details.

5 WCH-LinkUtility Download

5.1 Download Configuration

① Click the icon , connect to Link

② Select the chip model



③ Configuration options

④ Release chip read protection and set two-line debug speed

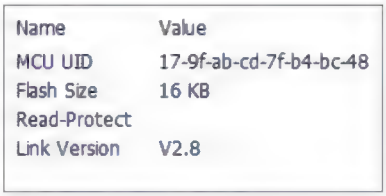
⑤ Click icon to add firmware

⑥ Click icon to execute download

5.2 Other Functions

5.2.1 Query Chip Information

Click icon to query chip information



Name	Value
MCU UID	17-9f-ab-cd-7f-b4-bc-48
Flash Size	16 KB
Read-Protect	
Link Version	V2.8

5.2.2 Set Chip Read-Protect

Query chip read-protect status

Enable chip read-protect status

Disable chip read-protect status

5.2.3 Read Chip Flash

Click icon to read chip Flash

Chip Flash Addr: 0x 8000000 Size: 0x 4000 Data Width: 16bytes Show ASCII Clear
3FA0:FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
3FB0:FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
3FC0:FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
3FD0:FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
3FE0:FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
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5.2.4 Code Flash Full Erase

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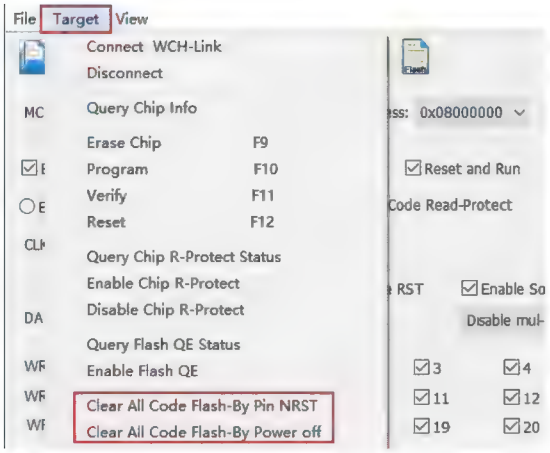
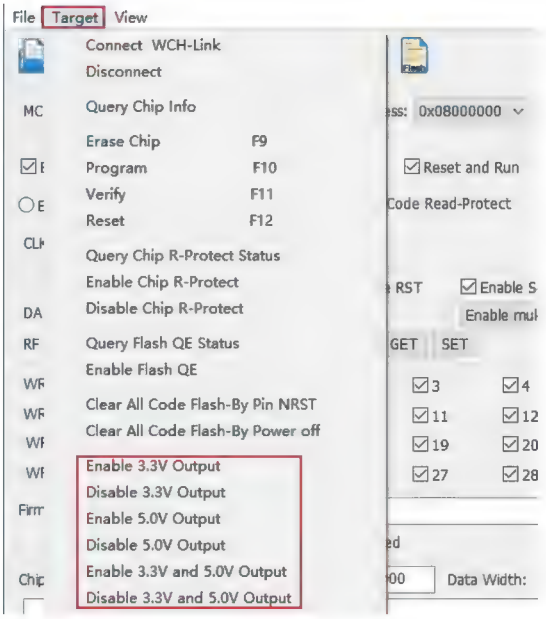


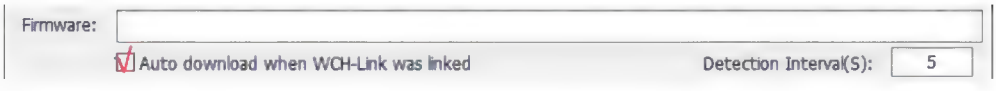
5.2.5 Power Output Controllable

WCH-LinkUtility tool can control Link power output. Click on Target and choose to turn on/off the power supply 3.3V/5V output in the drop-down list. (Supported by WCH-LinkE, WCH-DAPLink and WCH-LinkW only)



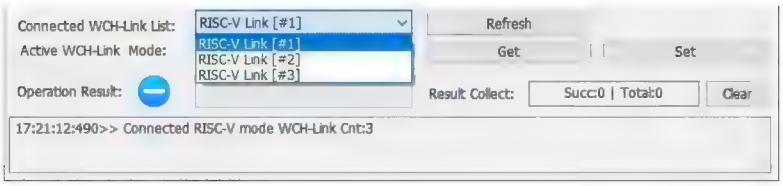
5.2.6 Automatic Continuous Download

Tick Auto download when WCH-Link was linked to enable automatic continuous download of the project.



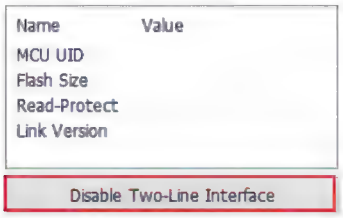
5.2.7 Multi-Device Download

The WCH-LinkUtility tool can recognize multiple Link devices. When multiple Links are connected, the Connected WCH-Link List option box allows you to select a specific Link device for downloading.



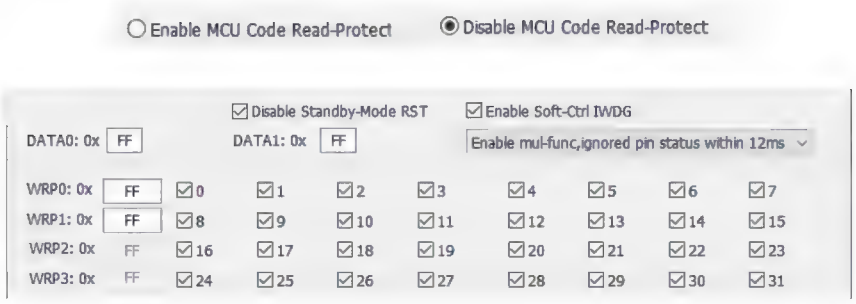
5.2.8 Turn off the 2-wire Debug Interface

For partial chips, code and data protection can be enabled by closing the two-wire debug interface.



5.2.9 User Select Word Configuration

For CH32 series chips, user selectable word configuration can be done through the WCH-LinkUtility tool. For details, please refer to the user selectable word section in the RM manual.

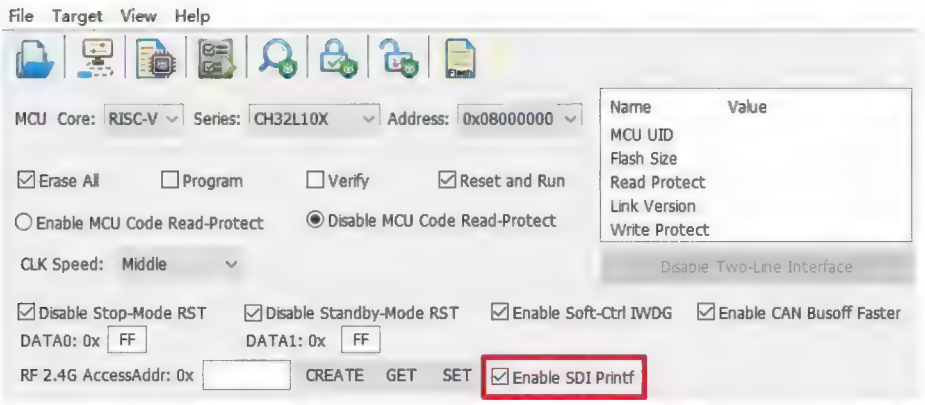


5.2.10 BOOT Download

For CH32V003, CH641, CH32V002_004_005_006_007, CH32M007, CH32X035_X034_X033 chip, you can select program download to program flash memory storage or system storage by WCH-LinkUtility tool.

5.2.11 SDI Virtual Serial Port Function

This function uses the SDI interface to realize the chip printout function, which needs to modify the printing function. Refer to the SDI_Printf routine in the relevant EVT. This function is only supported in V1.80 and above. You need to check EnableSDIPrintf and open the COM port of WCH-LinkE.



Note:

(1) This feature is only supported in V1.80 and above.

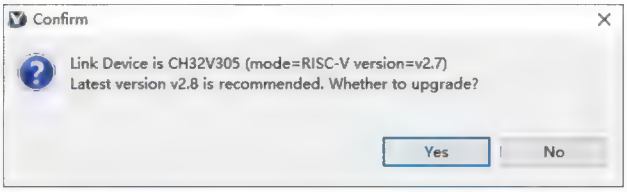
(2) This feature is only supported by WCH-LinkE.

(3) The supporting chip includes CH32V003, CH32V103, CH32V20x, CH32V30x, CH32X035, CH32L103, CH641, CH32V002_004_005_006_007, CH32M007, CH32M030, CH32V317, CH32V205.

6 Firmware Update Methods

6.1 MounRiver Studio Online Update

If the firmware needs to be updated, MounRiver Studio will have a pop-up window to remind you when you click the download button, click Yes to start the update.



6.2 WCH-LinkUtility Online Update

If the firmware needs to be updated, WCH-LinkUtility will have a pop-up window to remind you when you click the download button, click Yes to start the update.

Notes:

(1) WCH-LinkE supports manual online update, the steps are as follows.

- *Power up the Link after long press the IAP button until the blue LED blinks.*
- *MounRiver Studio/WCH-LinkUtility will have a pop-up window to remind you when you click the download button, click Yes to start the update.*

(2) If the Link firmware update is abnormal, please update the firmware by offline update.

6.3 WCH-LinkUtility Offline Update (2-wire Approach to Offline Update)

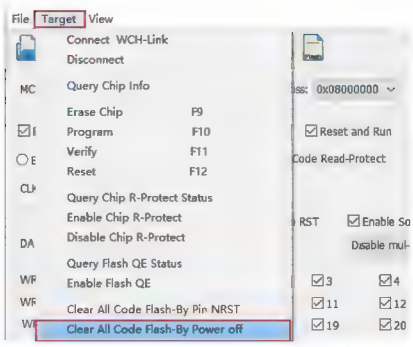
① Connect WCH-LinkE with WCH-LinkE to be updated

WCH-LinkE	Link to be updated
3V3	3V3
GND	GND
SWDIO	SWDIO
SWCLK	SWCLK

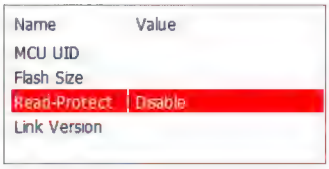
② WCH-LinkE power on, select the Link chip model to be updated (WCH-LinkE main control chip is CH32V30x)

③ To be updated Link into IAP mode (long press the IAP button to power up the Link, that is, through the USB port connected to the computer to power up)

④ Click Target->Clear All Code Flash-By Power off to erase all the user area of the chip



⑤ Click icon , diaable chip read-protect



⑥ Click icon , add Link offline updated firmware

⑦ Configuration options (Program + Verify + Reset and Run)

⑧ Click icon to execute download

Notes:

(1) The Link to be updated is limited to WCH-LinkE.

(2) Two WCH-LinkE are required for this method.

(3) When Link enters IAP mode, the blue LED flashes.

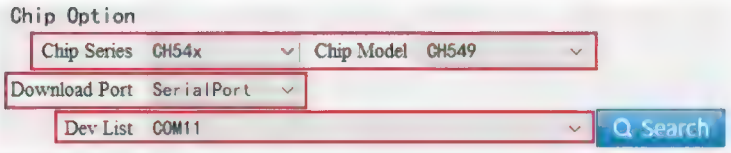
6.4 WCHISPStudio Serial Port Offline Update

① Connect WCH-Link with USB to TTL module

WCH-Link	USB to TTL module
TX	RX
RX	TX
GND	GND

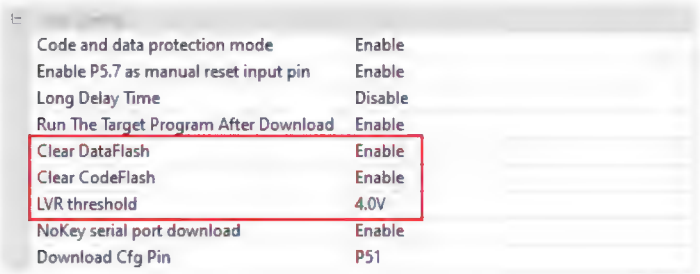
② USB to TTL module power on, WCH-Link into BOOT mode (short connection J1 in Figure 1 will Link power on)

③ Select chip model: CH549, download interface: serial port, device list: select the serial port number corresponding to the USB to TTL module



④ Add Link offline updated firmware to target program file

⑤ Download configuration


Code and data protection mode Enable
Enable P5.7 as manual reset input pin Enable
Long Delay Time Disable
Run The Target Program After Download Enable
Clear DataFlash Enable
Clear CodeFlash Enable
LVR threshold 4.0V
NoKey serial port download Enable
Download Cfg Pin P51

⑥ Click the download button

⑦ Click on the download and wait for the device to access the field, then plug the WCH-Link into the USB port, the ISP tool automatically began to download

Note: Serial port offline update is only supported by WCH-Link.

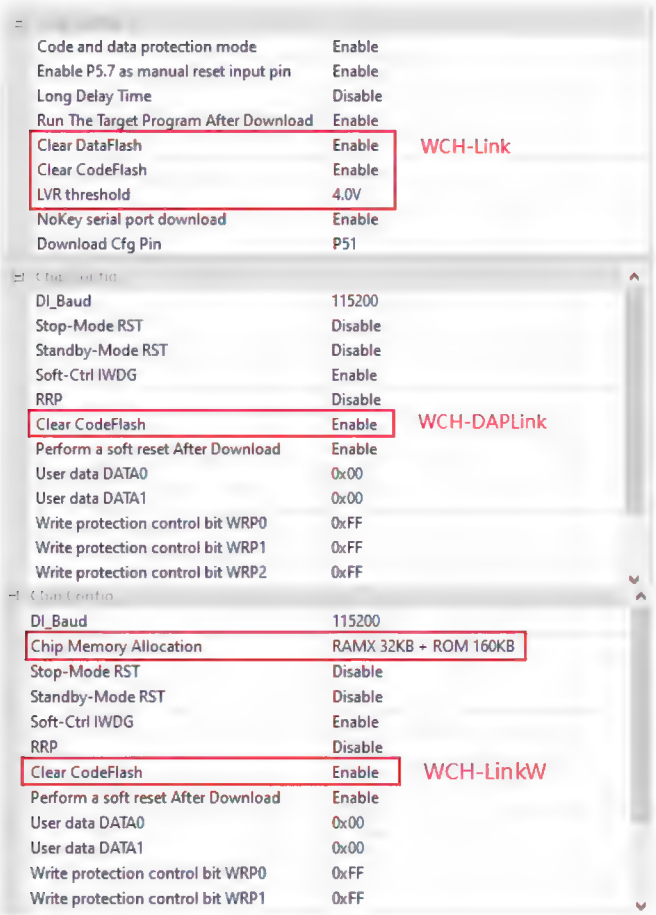
6.5 WCHISPStudio USB Offline Update

① To update the Link into BOOT mode (short connect J1 in Figure 1 or long press BOOT key and then power up the Link)

② WCHISPStudio tool will automatically pop up the adaptation window

③ Add Link offline upgrade firmware to the target program file

④ Download configuration


Code and data protection mode Enable
Enable P5.7 as manual reset input pin Enable
Long Delay Time Disable
Run The Target Program After Download Enable
Clear DataFlash Enable
Clear CodeFlash Enable
LVR threshold 4.0V
NoKey serial port download Enable
Download Cfg Pin P51
WCH-Link
DI_Baud 115200
Stop-Mode RST Disable
Standby-Mode RST Disable
Soft-Ctrl IWDG Enable
RRP Disable
Clear CodeFlash Enable
Perform a soft reset After Download Enable
User data DATA0 0x00
User data DATA1 0x00
Write protection control bit WRP0 0xFF
Write protection control bit WRP1 0xFF
Write protection control bit WRP2 0xFF
WCH-DAPLink
DI_Baud 115200
Chip Memory Allocation RAMX 32KB + ROM 160KB
Stop-Mode RST Disable
Standby-Mode RST Disable
Soft-Ctrl IWDG Enable
RRP Disable
Clear CodeFlash Enable
Perform a soft reset After Download Enable
User data DATA0 0x00
User data DATA1 0x00
Write protection control bit WRP0 0xFF
Write protection control bit WRP1 0xFF
WCH-LinkW

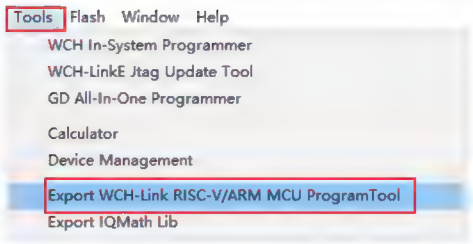
⑤ Click the download button

Notes:

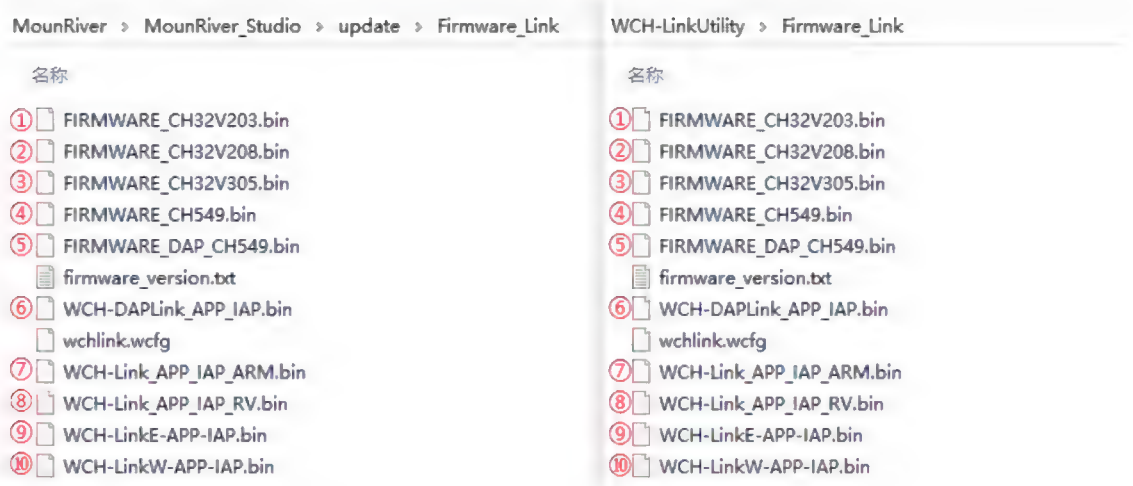
(1) USB offline update is only supported by WCH-Link, WCH-DAPLink and WCH-LinkW.

(2) WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 and WCH-DAPLink-R0-2v0 are only available for firmware version v2.8 and above.

(3) WCH-LinkUtility tool can be exported through MounRiver Studio software.



(4) Link offline upgrade firmware is located in the MounRiver Studio installation path and WCH-LinkUtility installation path.



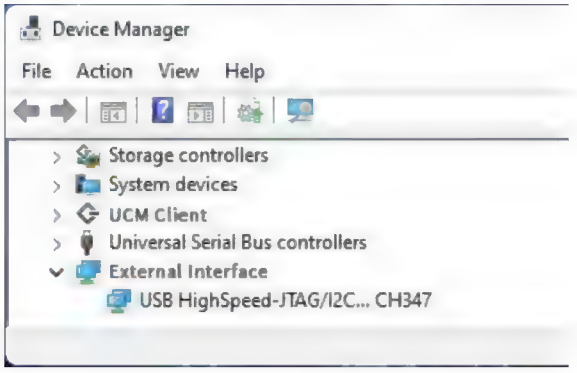
① *WCH-DAPLink upgrade firmware*
② *WCH-LinkW upgrade firmware*
③ *WCH-LinkE upgrade firmware*
④ *WCH-Link RISC-V mode upgrade firmware*
⑤ *WCH-Link ARM mode upgrade firmware*
⑥ *WCH-DAPLink offline upgrade firmware*
⑦ *WCH-Link ARM mode offline upgrade firmware*
⑧ *WCH-Link RISC-V mode offline upgrade firmware*
⑨ *WCH-LinkE offline upgrade firmware*
⑩ *WCH-LinkW offline upgrade firmware*

7 WCH-LinkE High-speed JTAG

7.1 Module Overview

The WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 provides a JTAG interface that supports 4-wire connections (TMS, TCK, TDI and TDO wires) for extending the JTAG interface for computers to operate CPUs, DSPs, FPGAs, CPLDs and other devices.

Figure 3 WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG mode



7.2 Module Features

- As Host/Master host mode.
- JTAG interface provides TMS wire, TCK wire, TDI wire and TDO wire.
- Support high-speed USB data transfer.
- Flexible operation of CPU, DSP, FPGA and CPLD devices through computer API cooperation.

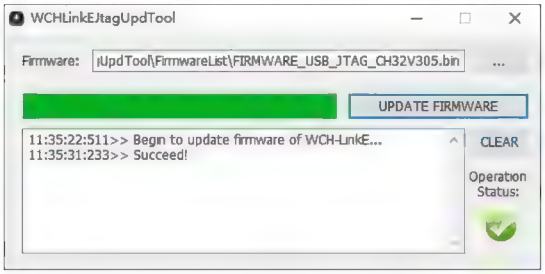
7.3 Module Switching

The WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 can be upgraded to high-speed JTAG mode via the WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool tool, download the steps as follows.

① WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 into IAP mode (long press the IAP button to power up the Link, i.e., connect to the computer through the USB port to power up), at this time the blue LED flashes.

② Open WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool tool, execute the download (WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG upgrade firmware has been automatically added).

③ Firmware update is complete, at this time the blue LED is always on.

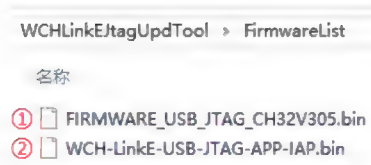


Notes.

(1) WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool get URL: https://www.wch.cn/downloads/WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool_ZIP.html

(2) The firmware can be updated offline by WCH-LinkUtility tool, please refer to manual 6.3 WCH-LinkUtility Offline Update for details.

(3) WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG offline update firmware is located in the WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool installation path.



① *WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG upgrade firmware*
② *WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG offline upgrade firmware*

7.4 Download Process

① In WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG mode, the Bit program file is first downloaded to the FPGA via JTAG, and the Bit file will operate the SPI controller of the FPGA to convert the JTAG data to SPI data for writing to Flash, and this step is to write the BIN file to realize its program curing process.
② Here the FPGA is Xilinx xc7a35t. Write the CFG file and use "openocd -f" to call it. Name the CFG file as usb20jtag.cfg and save it to the location of the openocd.exe file.

```
# Specify WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG debugger
adapter driver ch347
ch347 vid_pid 0x1a86 0x55dd

# Set TCK clock frequency
adapter speed 10000

# Specify TARGET, loading the JTAG-SPI driver in OpenOCD
source [find cpld/xilinx-xc7.cfg]
source [find cpld/jtagspi.cfg]

# Set IR command of TARGET
set XC7_JSHUTDOWN 0x0d
set XC7_JPROGRAM 0x0b
set XC7_JSTART 0x0c
set XC7_BYPASS 0x3f

# Download process
Init
# First download the Bit file to TARGET
pld load 0 bscan_spi_xc7a35t.bit
reset halt
# Detect Flash information
flash probe 0
# Download Bin file to Flash
flash write_image erase test.bin 0x0 bin

# Effective firmware operation
irscan xc7.tap $XC7_JSHUTDOWN
irscan xc7.tap $XC7_JPROGRAM
runtest 60000
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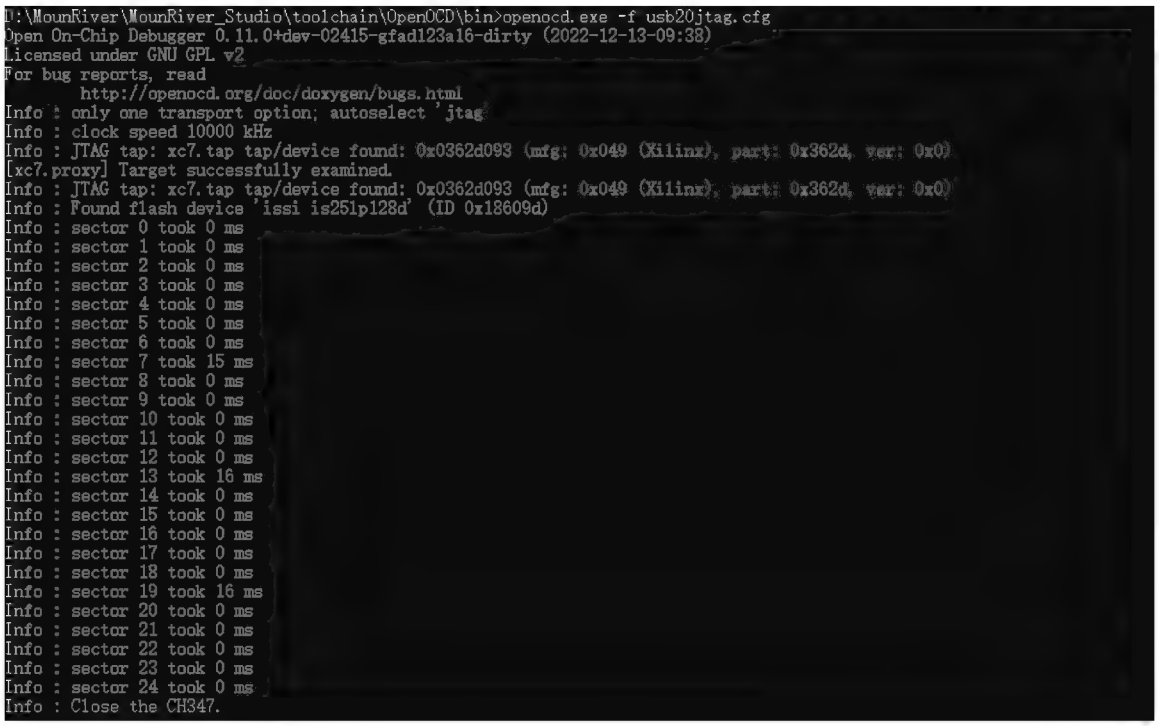
runtest 2000
irscan xc7.tap $XC7_BYPASS
runtest 2000

exit

③ Run the command: openocd.exe -f usb20jtag.cfg in Windows terminal and execute it as follows.


I:\MounRiver\MounRiver_Studio\toolchain\OpenOCD\bin>openocd.exe -f usb20jtag.cfg
Open On-Chip Debugger 0.11.0+dev-02415-gfad123a16-dirty (2022-12-13-09:38)
Licensed under GNU GPL v2
For bug reports, read
http://openocd.org/doc/doxygen/bugs.html
Info : only one transport option; autoselect 'jtag'
Info : clock speed 10000 kHz
Info : JTAG tap: xc7.tap tap/device found: 0x0362d093 (mfg: 0x049 (Xilinx), part: 0x362d, ver: 0x0)
[xc7.proxy] Target successfully examined.
Info : JTAG tap: xc7.tap tap/device found: 0x0362d093 (mfg: 0x049 (Xilinx), part: 0x362d, ver: 0x0)
Info : Found flash device 'issi is25lp128d' (ID 0x18609d)
Info : sector 0 took 0 ms
Info : sector 1 took 0 ms
Info : sector 2 took 0 ms
Info : sector 3 took 0 ms
Info : sector 4 took 0 ms
Info : sector 5 took 0 ms
Info : sector 6 took 0 ms
Info : sector 7 took 15 ms
Info : sector 8 took 0 ms
Info : sector 9 took 0 ms
Info : sector 10 took 0 ms
Info : sector 11 took 0 ms
Info : sector 12 took 0 ms
Info : sector 13 took 16 ms
Info : sector 14 took 0 ms
Info : sector 15 took 0 ms
Info : sector 16 took 0 ms
Info : sector 17 took 0 ms
Info : sector 18 took 0 ms
Info : sector 19 took 16 ms
Info : sector 20 took 0 ms
Info : sector 21 took 0 ms
Info : sector 22 took 0 ms
Info : sector 23 took 0 ms
Info : sector 24 took 0 ms
Info : Close the CH347.

④ The download is over and the device is running normally.

Notes.

(1) conversion role of the Bit file, with the help of Github open source project: https://github.com/quartiq/bscan_spi_bitstreams

(2) openocd.exe file location: MounRiver\MounRiver_Studio\toolchain\OpenOCD\bin

8 WCH-LinkW Use Instruction

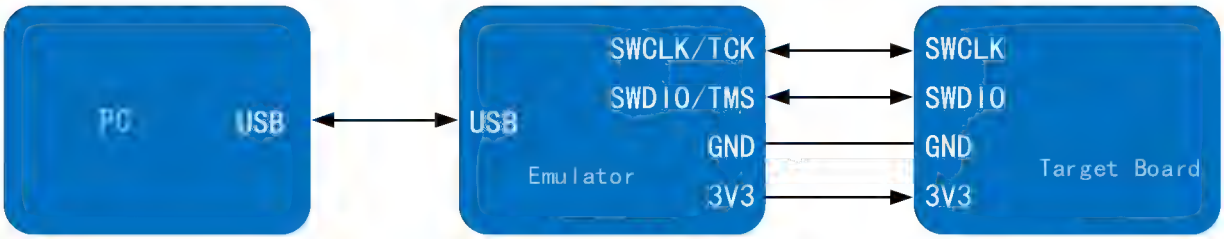
8.1 Module Overview

WCH-LinkW is a wired/wireless 2.4G dual imitation real debugger, which can be used for online debugging and downloading of WCH RISC-V architecture MCU and also for online debugging and downloading of ARM chips with SWD/JTAG interface.

8.2 Use Methods

8.2.1 Wired Mode

Wired mode only needs 1 WCH-LinkW, connect the row of pins to MCU and USB port to PC for downloading and debugging.



8.2.2 Wireless Mode

Wireless mode requires 2 WCH-LinkW, divided into WCH-LinkW master (connected to computer) and WCH-LinkW slave (connected to MCU.) After WCH-LinkW is successfully enumerated to computer, it will detect whether there is a slave match within 2 seconds to switch mode, if there is a slave match, it will switch to wireless mode, and the green light will be on; otherwise, it will switch to wired mode, and the green light goes off.

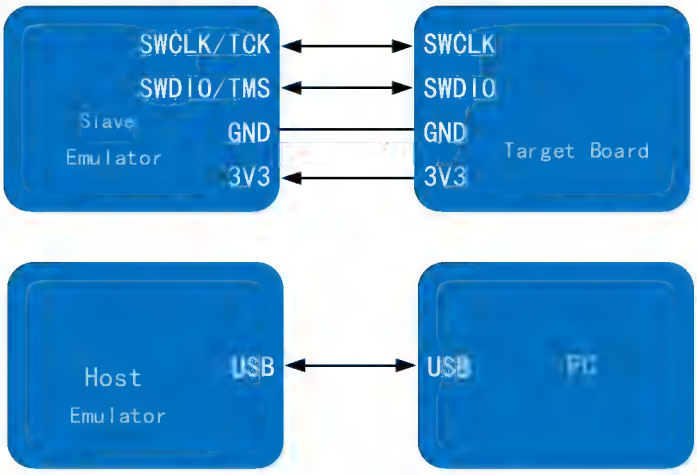
Wireless mode download debugging requires the use of two WCH-LinkW, the use of the following steps:

① The slave and MCU are connected by two wires, and the power is supplied through the U-port of MCU, or the slave and MCU can be powered by charging head or mobile power connected to the USB port of the slave

② After the slave is successfully powered up, the host USB port is connected to the computer. After the host device is successfully enumerated and matched to the slave within 2 seconds, the green light of the host and the slave will be lit

③ After the successful matching of wireless mode host and slave, the host and slave are powered off, then repeat the above steps, if only one is powered off, it can be re-powered for automatic matching without repeating the above process

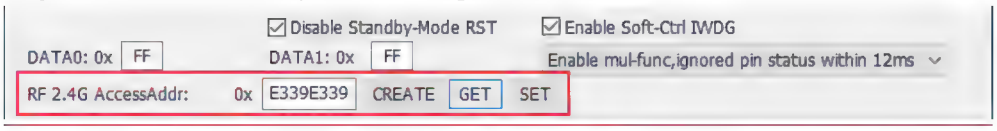
④ Download and debug MCU



Note: Using Code Flash full erase and power output controllable function requires connecting to the slave USB port via charging head or mobile power to power the slave and MCU.

8.3 Wireless Mode Access Address Match

When WCH-LinkW uses wireless mode for downloading and debugging, it is necessary to ensure that the wireless mode access addresses of the host and slave are the same. You can set the wireless mode access address through the WCH-LinkUtility tool. The steps are as follows:


Disable Standby-Mode RST
Enable Soft-Ctrl IWDG
DATA0: 0x FF
DATA1: 0x FF
Enable mul-func,ignored pin status within 12ms
RF 2.4G AccessAddr: 0x E339E339 CREATE GET SET

① Connect WCH-LinkW wireless mode host and slave to computer respectively, click GET button, check whether the current host and slave access addresses are the same, if they are the same and not 0xE339E339, execute step 4, otherwise execute step 2

② Click CREATE button to create a random address

③ Click SET button to set the access address of host and slave respectively

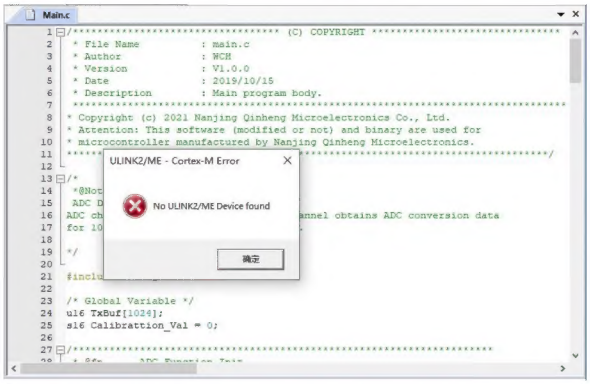
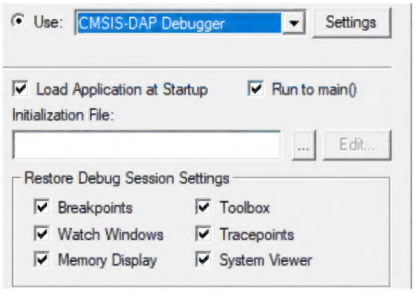
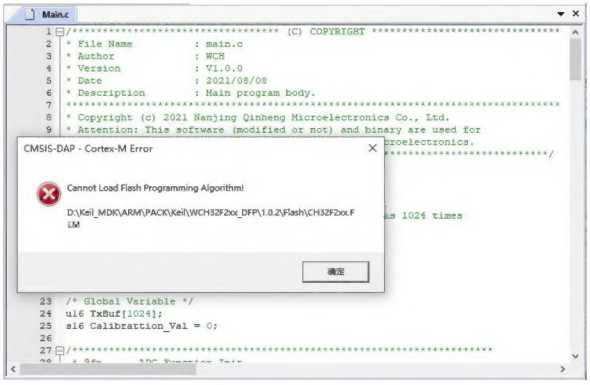
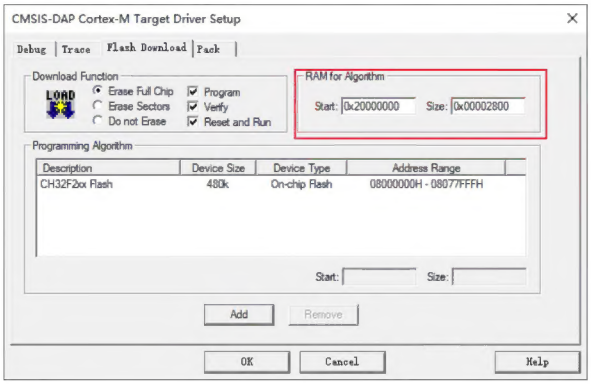
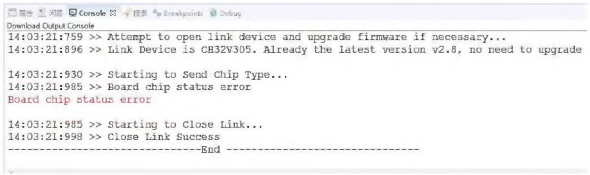
④ The slave connects to the MCU to power on first, then the host connects to the computer, and the green light will light up to use the wireless mode normally

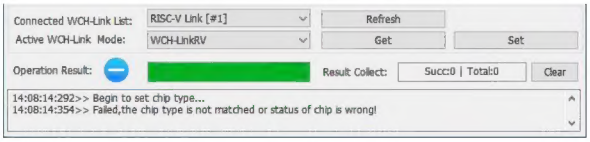
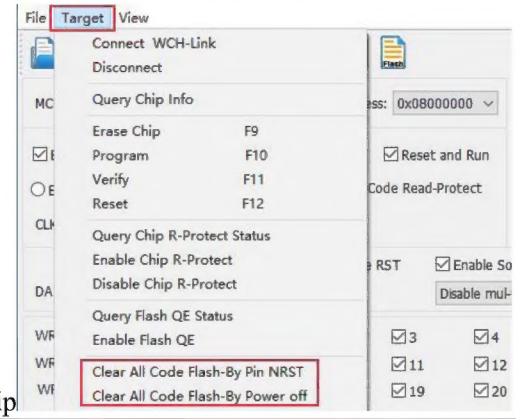
Notes:

(1) The factory default WCH-LinkW wireless mode access address is 0xE339E339.

(2) When wireless mode, only one pair of WCH-LinkW wireless access address should be guaranteed to be the same in the same usage environment. If there are more than one pair of devices, you need to use the above steps to set different wireless mode access addresses.

9 Typical Problem Statement

Error Alert	Solution
Use Keil software to download 	1. Please refer to manual 3.2 Download configuration to complete Keil download configuration. 
Use Keil software to download 	1. The RAM space size of our CH32F20x series chips is 0x2800. 
Use MounRiver Studio software to download 	1. Check whether the chip's two-wire debug interface is correctly connected to Link. 2. Check whether the Debug function of the chip is turned on (if not, it can be turned on through the ISP tool). 3. Check whether the user program inside the chip is open to sleep function and whether there is an operation of FLASHrelated functions (if open, you can enter BOOT mode and download through two lines). 4. Check whether the two-wire debug interface of the user program inside the chip is multiplexed as a common GPIO port (if multiplexed, you can enter BOOT mode and download through two wires). *Note:* *(1) For CH32 series chips, if the download is not successful, you can enter BOOT mode (BOOT0 to VCC, BOOT1 to GND) and download through Link.* *(2) For 3 and 4, the problem can be solved by*

	WCH-LinkUtility tool to erase all the user area of the chip (refer to Chapter 5of the manual for WCH-LinkUtility download).
Use the WCH-LinkUtility tool to download  	Erase all user areas of the chip 
Update firmware using WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool tool After updating the firmware according to manual 7.3 Mode Switching Download Procedure, the blue LED on the WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 does not light up and the Device Manager cannot recognize the device.	1. Analysis of the cause, may be the WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 on the Y1 crystal soldering abnormalities, resulting in the crystal cannot properly start vibration. Therefore, you need to re-solder the Y1 crystal.
When using WCH-LinkW wireless mode for downloading and debugging, the green light does not turn on.	1. Please refer to section 8.2.2 of the manual for operation.
When using WCH-LinkW wireless mode for downloading and debugging, Code Flash full erase and power output controllable functions are not available.	1. To use the above function, you need to connect to the slave USB port through the charging head or mobile power to power the slave and MCU.
When using WCH-LinkW wireless mode for downloading and debugging, the slave cannot upgrade the firmware online.	1.WCH-LinkW slave online firmware upgrade needs to be done in wired mode.

Notes:

(1) The debugging function is not supported when the user program turns on the sleep function.

(2) If you exit abnormally when using the debug function, it is recommended to re-plug the Link.

(3) When using the download and debug functions of CH32F103/CH32F203/CH32V103/CH32V203/ CH32V307/CH32L103/CH32V317/CH32V205, BOOT0 is grounded.

(4) When using the debug function of CH569, the user code must be smaller than the configured ROM space, as shown in Table 2-2 of CH569SD1.

(5) When using the debug function of CH32 series chip, please make sure the chip is in the read protection off state.

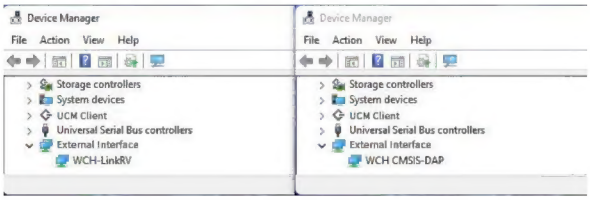
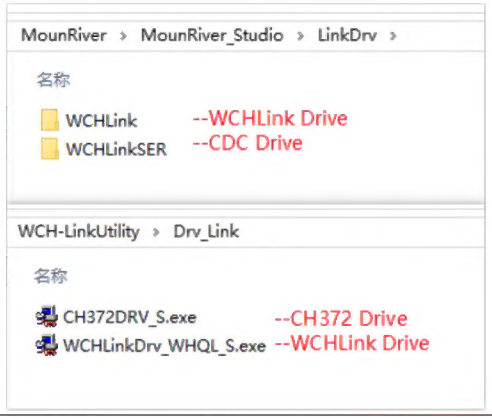
(6) Typical WCH-Link FAQs can be found at: https://www.wch.cn/bbs/thread-100647-1.html

10 Driver Installation

10.1 WCH-Link Driver

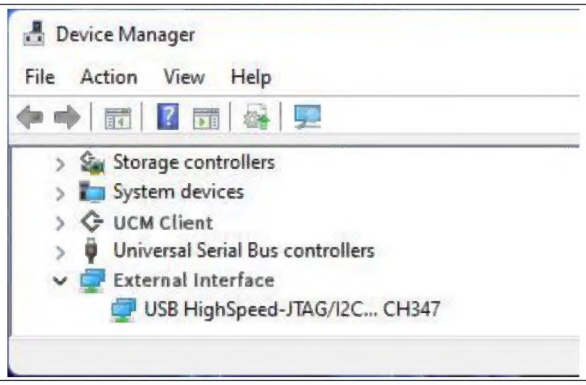
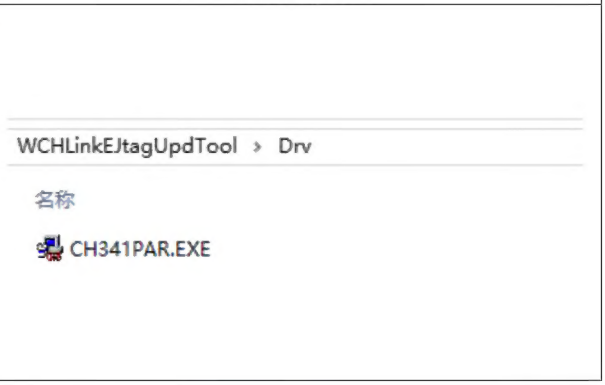
(1) The WCH-Link driver will be installed automatically when MounRiver Studio is installed, and the device manager will be shown in the table below after successful installation. If the driver installation fails, please open the LinkDrv folder under the installation path of MounRiver Studio and manually install SETUP.EXE under the WCHLink folder.

(2) To install the WCH-LinkUtility tool, you need to manually install the WCH-Link driver. Please open the Drv_Link folder in the WCH-LinkUtility tool file directory and manually install WCHLinkDrv_WHQL_S.exe.

Device manager	Drive path
	

10.2 WCH-LinkE High-speed JTAG Driver

WCH-LinkE-R0-1v3 is upgraded to high-speed JTAG mode, you need to manually install the WCH-LinkE high-speed JTAG driver to use it properly. Please open the Drv folder under the installation path of WCHLinkEJtagUpdTool and install CH341PAR.EXE manually.

Device manager	Drive path
	

10.3 CDC Driver

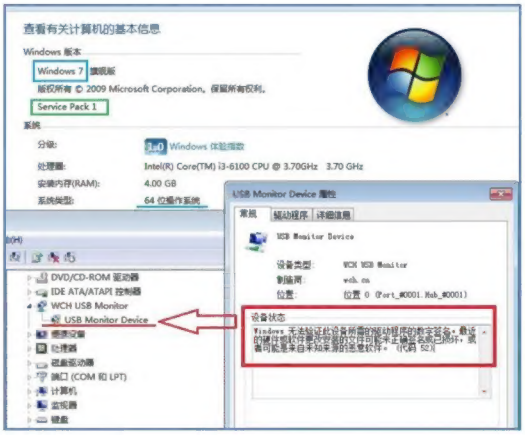
CDC device installation problems under WIN7.

① If the serial port driver is successfully installed, the following steps are not required.

② Confirm that the usbser.sys file is present in path B. If it is missing, copy it from path A to path B.

③ Reinstall the CDC driver. (See the above table for the driver path, please install the CDC driver in the corresponding mode)

Note: If the above steps do not solve the problem, please refer to the link below



Reference: http://www.wch.cn/downloads/InstallNoteOn64BitWIN7_ZH_PDF.html